



Industry Advisory Board Meeting

CIFE Industry Advisory Board Meeting

8:00 Welcome coffee

8:30 Update on CIFE business and research and education activities

9:15 Discussion of CIFE update and decisions

10:00 -- Break --

10:30 CIFE member updates on successes, initiatives, and challenges and discussion

12:30 -- Lunch --

13:30 Potential initiatives for the CIFE community for the next 24 months

14:00 Breakout groups to develop the most promising initiative

15:15 Reports from breakout groups and discussion

16:15 Vote to determine the highest value initiatives for the CIFE community

16:30 Summary of the decisions taken including reflection on voting and next steps

17:00 – Open House/Meet with Students --

18:30 -- Informal Dinner --



Topics

- Advice
- People
- Stanford Context
- Money
- Members
- Events
- Teaching
- Research



Advice

- VDC Certificate Program
 - Leave as is (1-2 open sessions, dedicated sessions as demand and capacity allow)
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- Seed Project Process
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 - Flagship projects
- Sustainable Urban Systems
 - Role of CIFE?
- BuiltX
 - Accelerating startups that improve the built environment
- Partnerships
- Research focus



People: John Kunz retired



People

Visiting Fellows & Interns

Austin Becker (WDI)

Ramon Iglesias (Mortenson)

Hal Rolnick (RIB)

Devini Senaratna (Glodon)

Min Song (CCC)

George Venetsanopoulos (CCC)

Tongda Zhang (DPR)

Plus many summer interns

Research Associate

Forest Flager

Consulting Professors

Vladimir Bazjanac (LBNL)

Calvin Kam (bimSCORE)

Bill McDonough

Ben Schwegler (WDI)

Visiting Scholars

Patrick Shiel, Apr 2013 – Mar 2015

Sérgio Scheer, Oct 2014 – Sept 2015

Lea Urup, Jan. 2014 – June 2014



Stanford Context

- Graduate Construction Program is strong
- 5 tenure line faculty
- 31 lecturers and consulting professors
- 111 graduate students
 - 73 MS
 - 38 post MS

- New School of Engineering Leadership



Persis Drell
Widom



Jennifer
Widom

- Sustainable Urban Systems Initiative



Stanford Construction Curriculum Overview

✿ Overview of Program Curricula

- ✿ SDC – Management (Formerly CEM)
- ✿ SDC – Energy (Formerly SDC)
- ✿ SDC – Structures (Formerly DCI)
- ✿ SDC – Water (New)

✿ Related Undergraduate Program

- ✿ Architectural Design

✿ Related Centers and Labs

- ✿ Center for Integrated Facility Engineering (CIFE)
- ✿ Project Based Learning Lab (PBL)
- ✿ Global Projects Center (GPC)
- ✿ Sensing, Data Analytics, and Optimization

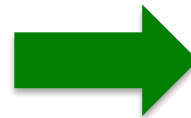
Sustainable Urban Systems

VISION

Students will learn to create integrated urban infrastructure systems in a re-conceptualized educational setting.

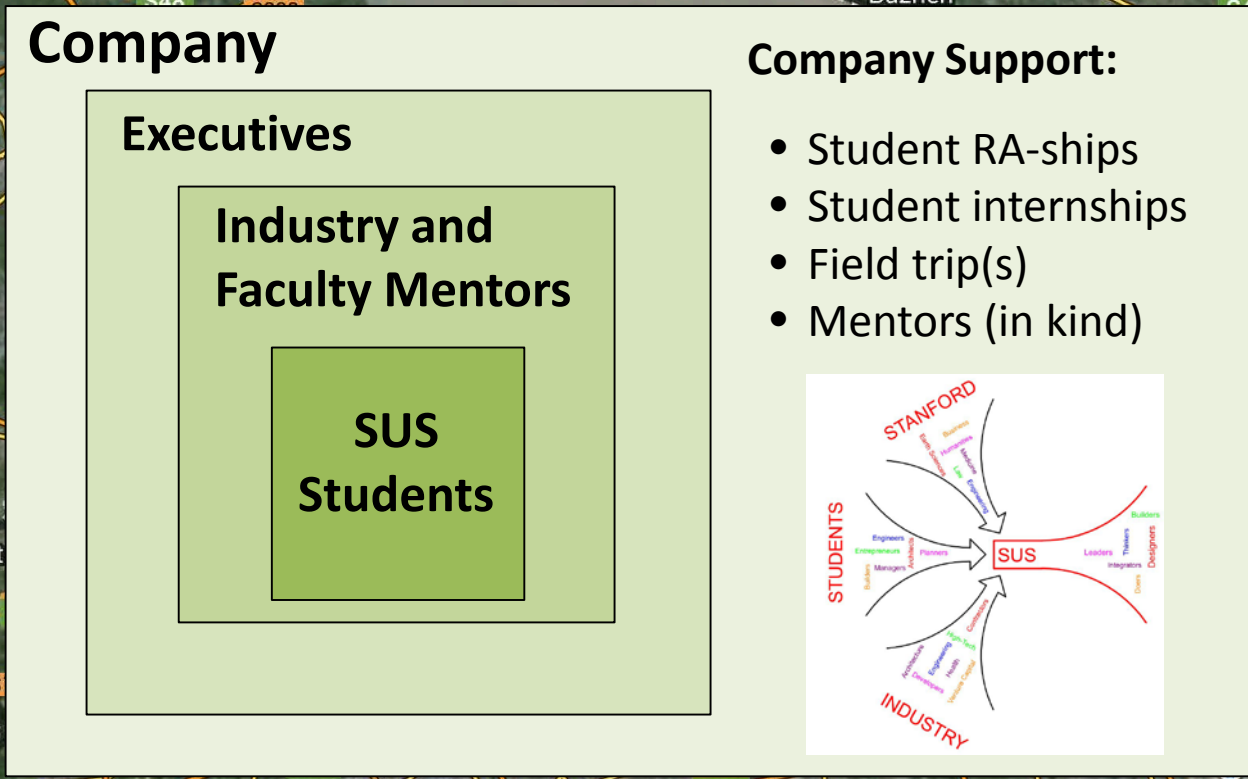
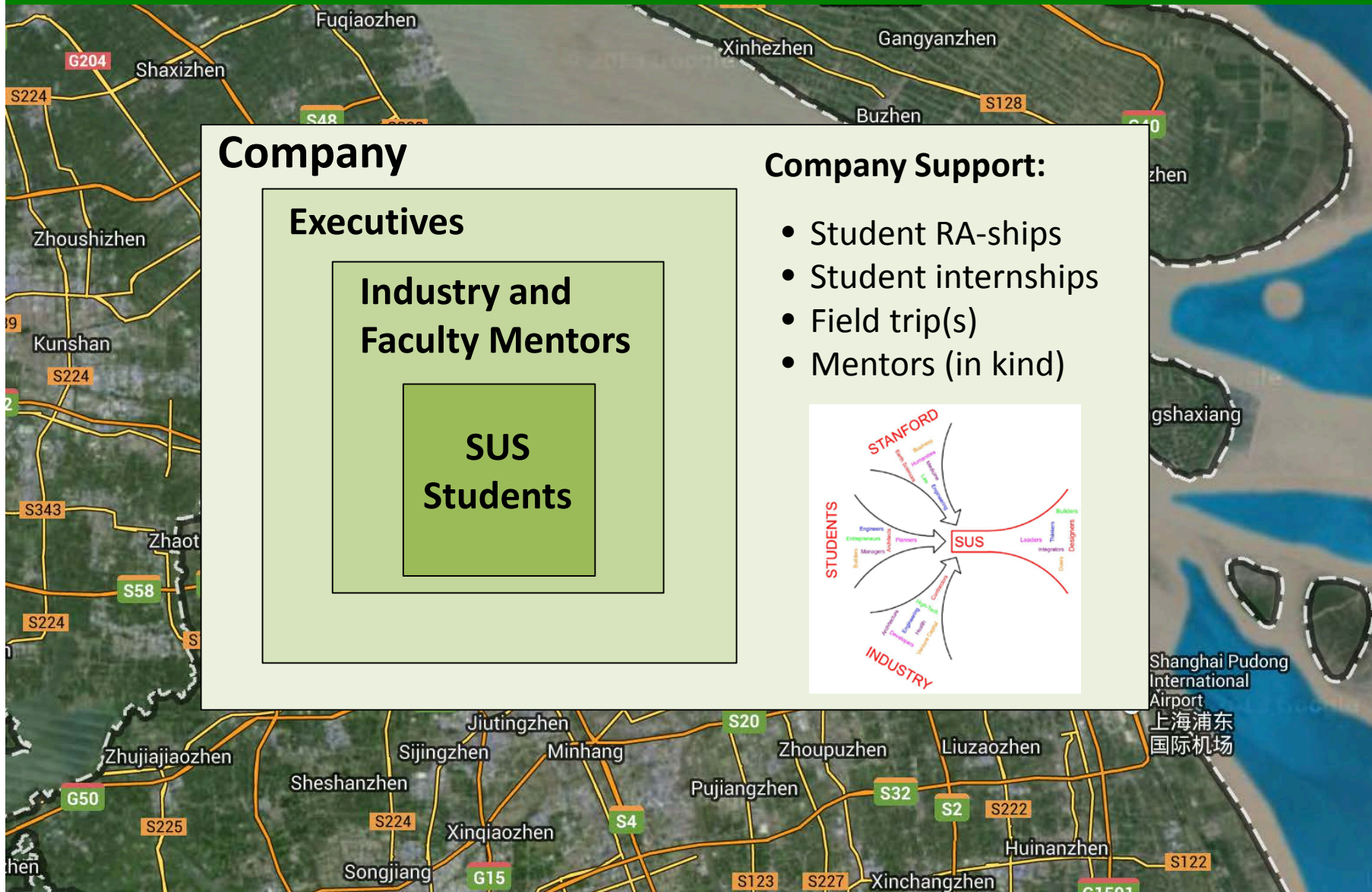


Traditional: Separate power plants & Wastewater treatment

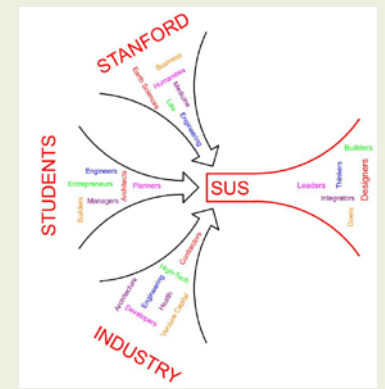


Integrated: Clean the water while producing fuel, fertilizer and plastics

SUS Program Elements: Team Project



- ### Company Support:
- Student RA-ships
 - Student internships
 - Field trip(s)
 - Mentors (in kind)



Shanghai Pudong International Airport
上海浦东国际机场

Sources of Membership and Program Income

- Contributor \$15,000
- Small Business \$12,000
- Member \$35,000
 - \$15k discount for tech companies
- Visiting Fellow \$20,000
 - \$18,750 with partner discount
 - 1-3 VF Quarters: Associate Member
 - 4+ VF Quarters: Partner
- VDC Certificate Program
 - \$75,000 per program (with partner SPS/PPI)
 - ~25 participants
- Other Events



Currently 33 CIFE Members

Changes since last IAB

NEW MEMBERS

Bentley Software

Implenia Schweiz

MT Højgaard

Nemetschek Allplan

Royal HaskoningDHV

Synchro Software

CHANGE IN MEMBERSHIP LEVEL

CCC

Associate → Partner

DPR Construction

Member → Associate

Parsons Brinckerhoff

Associate → Member

Skanska

Member → Contributor

SMART Technologies

Associate → Member

FORMER MEMBERS

Cadwork Informatik

Oracle Primavera

Slavenburg BV



Teaching: Major Stanford Courses with Significant CIFE Content and Industry Participation

- CEE220 BIM series
 - Autodesk
- CEE212 Industry Applications of VDC
 - Bechtel
 - bimSCORE
 - CCC
 - GSA
 - Mortenson
 - Obayashi
 - Walt Disney Imagineering
 - AIA
 - NASA
 - Smithsonian
 - Swiss VDC program participants
- CEE222 Computer Integrated AEC Global Teamwork
 - Too many to list here
- CEE241 Managing Fabrication and Construction
 - RIB
 - Trimble
 - CCC
 - Clark Pacific
 - DPR
 - Webcor



Teaching:

Educational Events for the CIFE Community

- 62 VDC Certificate Program Graduates last year
- 7 VDC Certificate Courses
 - WDI Dec. 13
 - WDI Feb. 14
 - Veidekke Mar. 14
 - Implenia May 14
 - CIFE Jun. 14
 - Singapore Jun. 14
 - PB online Apr.-Sep. 14
 - *RHDHV Dec. 14*
 - *China Mar. 15*
 - *Peru Mar. 15*
 - *NCC Aug. 15*
- Other Events
 - Strategy Meeting Oct. 13
 - Parts List Workshop Mar. 13
 - Key Performance Indicators Mar. 13
 - Summer Program Jun 14
 - VDC Workshop Hong Kong CIC Sep. 14
 - Facility Energy Management Workshop Sep. 14
 - *Tongji VDC Conference Shanghai Oct. 14*
 - *iTWO World Hong Kong Nov. 14*
 - *BIM Seminar Zurich Jan. 15*
 - *3rd BIM Conf. Dubai Feb. 15*



Proposed CIFE Calendar 2014-15

EVENTS

Call for Seed Proposals

Proposals Due

Technical Advisory Committee

Summer Program

Industry Advisory Board

VDC Certificate Program

DATES

March 4

April 22

April 30

September 9-10

October 15

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2013-14 CIFE Seed Projects

- Space Constraint Method – *M. Fischer, M. Lepech, R. Morkos* (\$30,000)
- Using MDO to Support Sequential Conceptual Design Decisions – *M. Lepech, M. Fischer, F. Flager, J. Basbagill* (\$40,000)
- A Framework for Bringing 3D Printing into the Construction Industry – *M. Fischer, V. Bazjanac, N. Mrazovic* (\$30,000)
- Integrated Virtual Parts Library - Parts List Definition – *M. Fischer, C. Kam, B. Schwegler, C. Chi, D. Hall, H. Chen, J. Wei, N. Zhao, P. Padachuri, S. Tao* (\$45,000)
- Statistical Analysis of KPIs: the Missing Links in the VDC Decision Making Process – *M. Fischer, C. Kam, D. Senaratna* (\$30,000)
- Enhancing Pre-Construction Decision-Making on Sustainable Commercial Building Projects – *M. Lepech, G. Griggs, K. Abraham* (\$30,000)
- Achieving Large-scale Energy Reduction in Commercial Buildings Using Closed Loop Energy Analysis (CLEAN) – *M. Fischer, C. Kam, P. Shiel* (\$35,000)



2013-14 Visiting Fellow Projects

- Austin Becker (WDI)
 - Engineering and Policy Implications of Sea Level Rise for Sea Ports
- Forest Flager, Ramon Iglesias (Mortenson)
 - Windfarm Optimization
- Hal Rolnick (RIB)
 - Global Implementation of 5D Modeling
- Devini Senaratna (Glodon)
 - VDC Scorecard
- Min Song (CCC) and George Venetsanopoulos (CCC)
 - BIM-based Construction Management
- Skyler Holloway (DPR)
 - Review of IPD Practices
- Tongda Zhang (DPR)
 - Worker Movement Analysis
- Forest Flager, Calvin Kam, Several Students (WDI)
 - Integrated Infrastructure; Optimization of Supply and Demand for Energy for Neighborhoods
 - Parts List
- Robert Gräbert, Alissa Cooperman (CBRE – RGRC)
 - Facility Energy Management Practices by Leading Owner-Operators



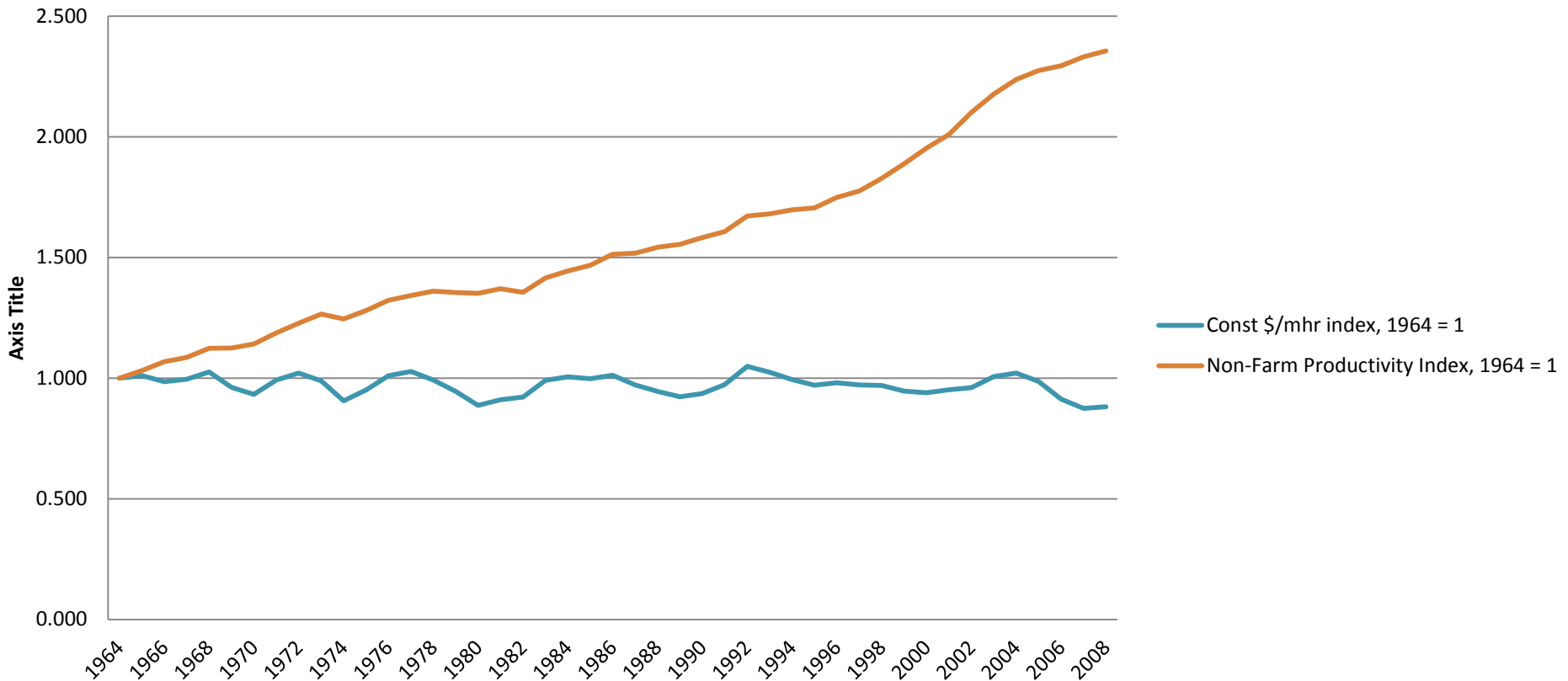
2014-15 CIFE Seed Projects

- Methodology for Digital Design and Additive Manufacturing of High Performance Building Façade Segment Optimized to Environmental Constraints *AND* Impact of Material Characteristics on Construction and Lifecycle Performance of Buildings – *M. Fischer, S. Billington, V. Bazjanac, N. Mrazovic (\$70,000)*
- Enhancing Decision-Making on Sustainable Building Projects Using Influence Diagrams – *M. Lepech, R. Shachter, K. Abraham (\$35,000)*
- Managing Construction Parts - From Manufacturing to Construction – *M. Fischer, C. Kam, B. Schwegler, C. Chi, D. Hall, H. Chen, N. Zhao, S. Tao (\$50,000)*
- A Simulation-Based Approach to Accounting for Uncertainty and Variability in Look-Ahead Planning – *M. Fischer, J. Choo, N. Garcia-Lopez (35,000)*



Productivity in construction is lagging productivity in other industries!

**Labor Productivity for
Construction Industry and
all Non-Farm Ind.
1964-2008**



Virtual Design and Construction (VDC)

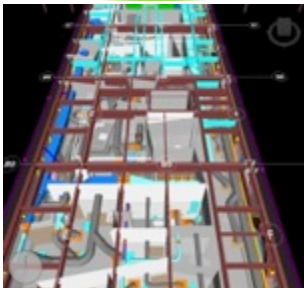
Client/Business Objectives

Project Objectives

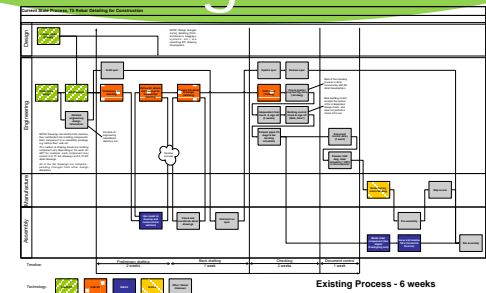
Integrated Concurrent Engineering (ICE)



Product Modeling
(BIM+)



Process Modeling & Management

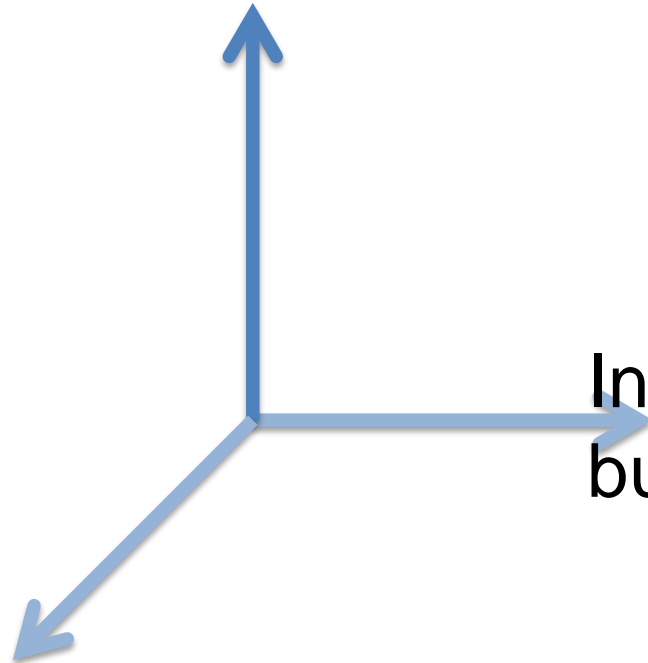


The ability to predict performance will be a key competitive advantage

Increase the number of **virtual** buildings or design options considered

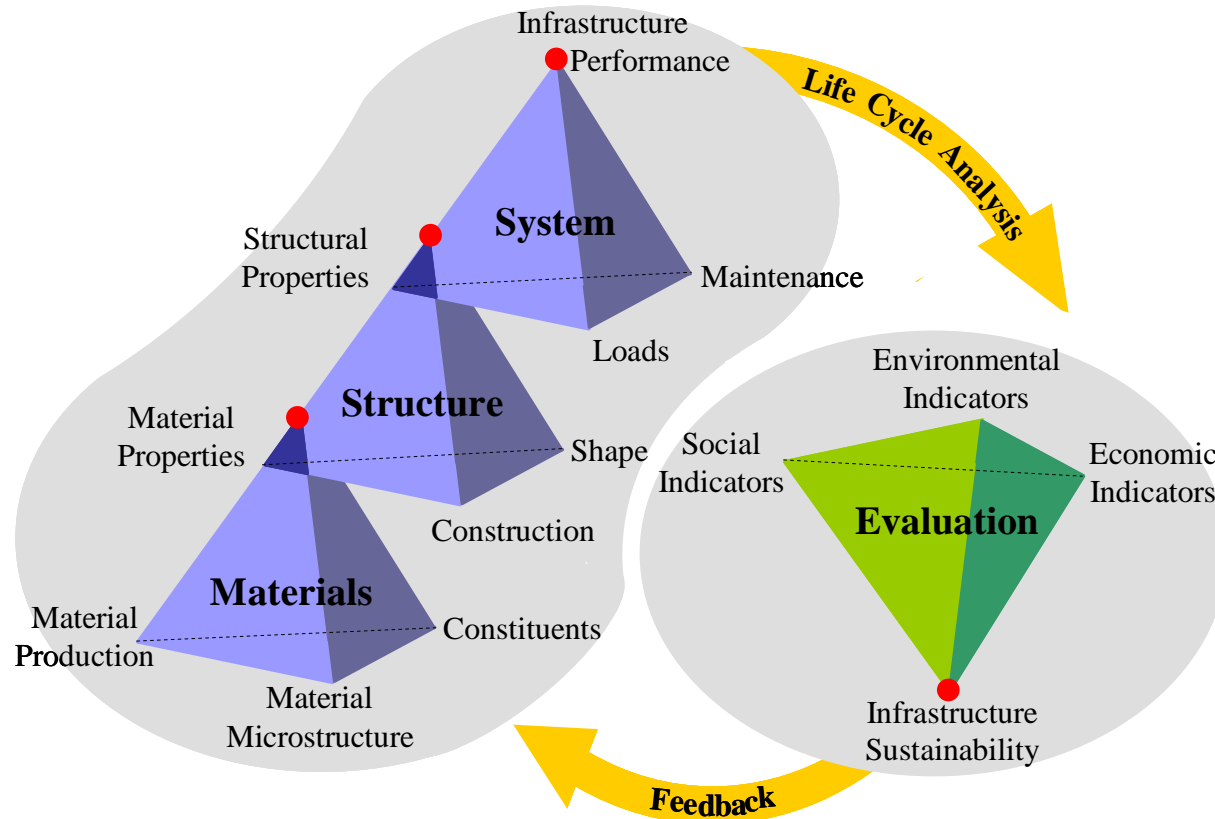
Increase the number of **real** buildings considered

Improve the **quality** of analysis and simulation **models**

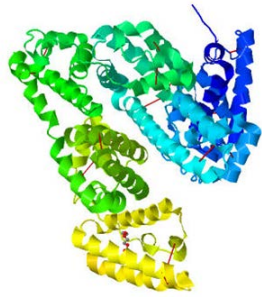


Lepech Research Group

Sustainable Integrated Materials, Structures & Systems (SIMSS) Research and Design Approach



Materials – Biological Composites



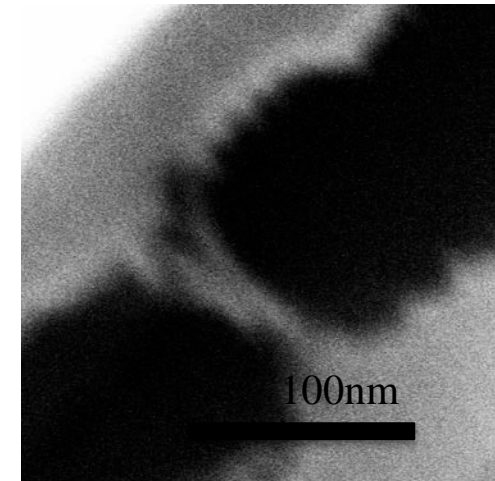
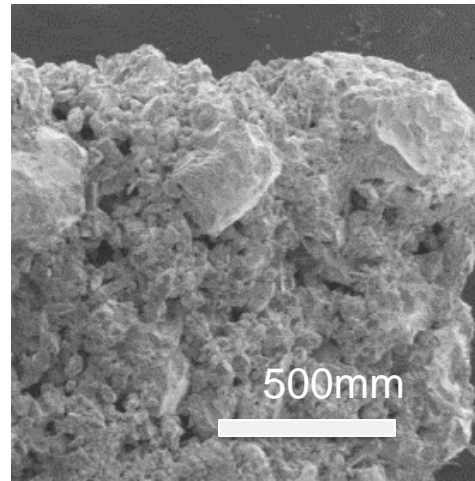
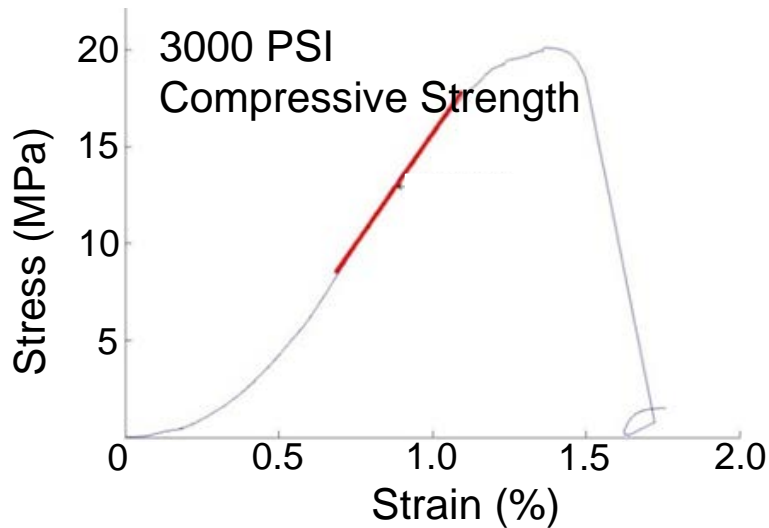
5% Engineered Protein

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95% Inorganic Minerals

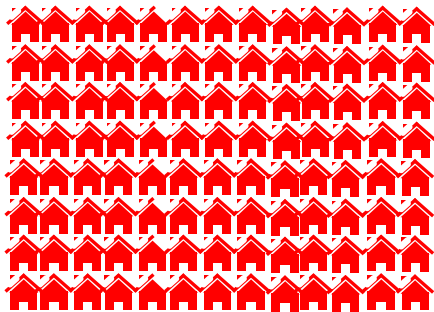
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Roedel, H. *et al.* (2014) "Life Cycle Assessment of Biocomposite Bricks" International Symposium on Sustainable Systems and Technologies 2014. Oakland, California, USA. May 19-21, 2014.

Structures - ADAPT

ADAPT software allows environmental evaluation of early stage decisions (orientation, materials, etc.) through visualized probability mass functions.



massing

→ FEEDBACK

orientation

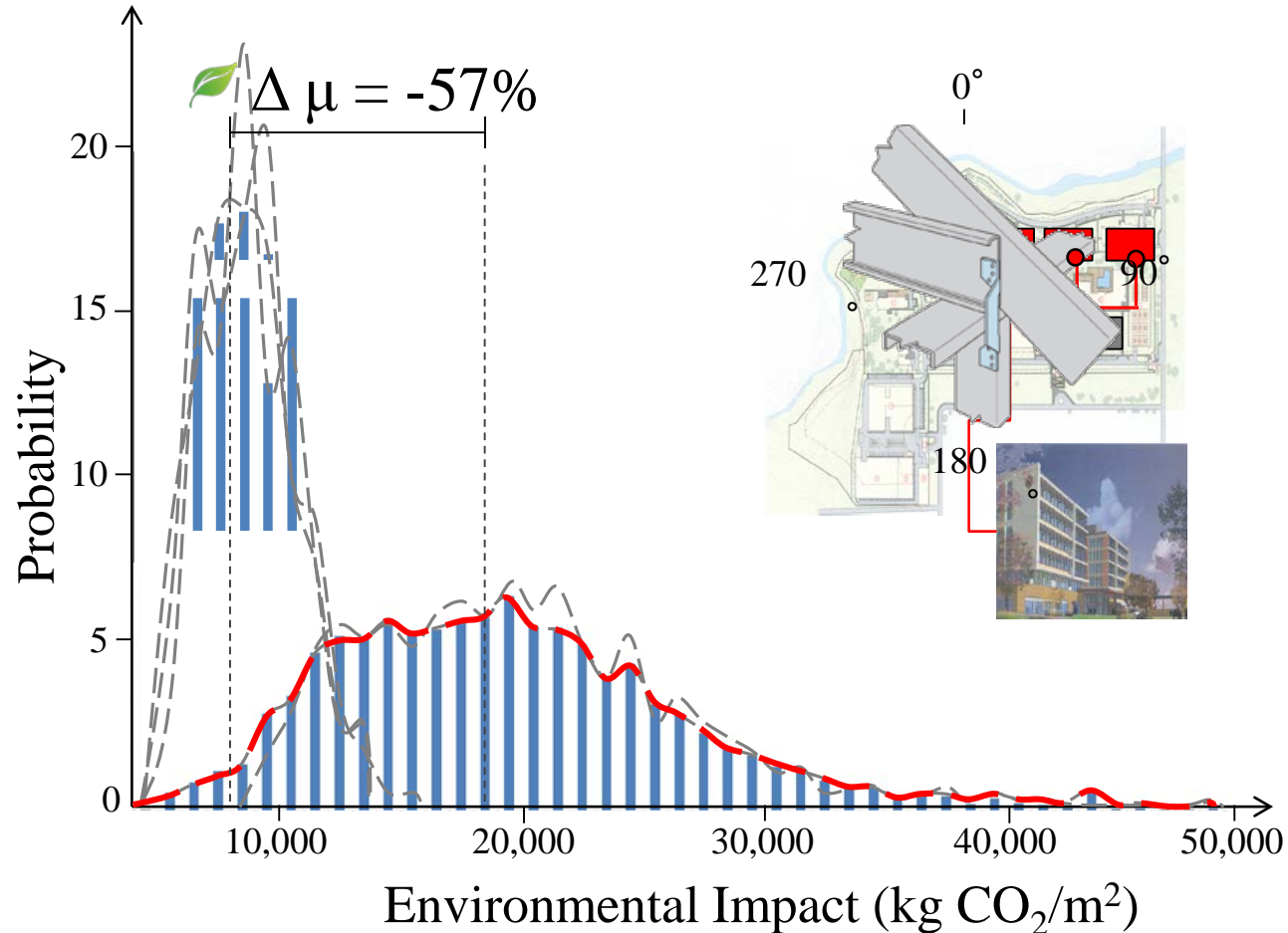
→ FEEDBACK

materials

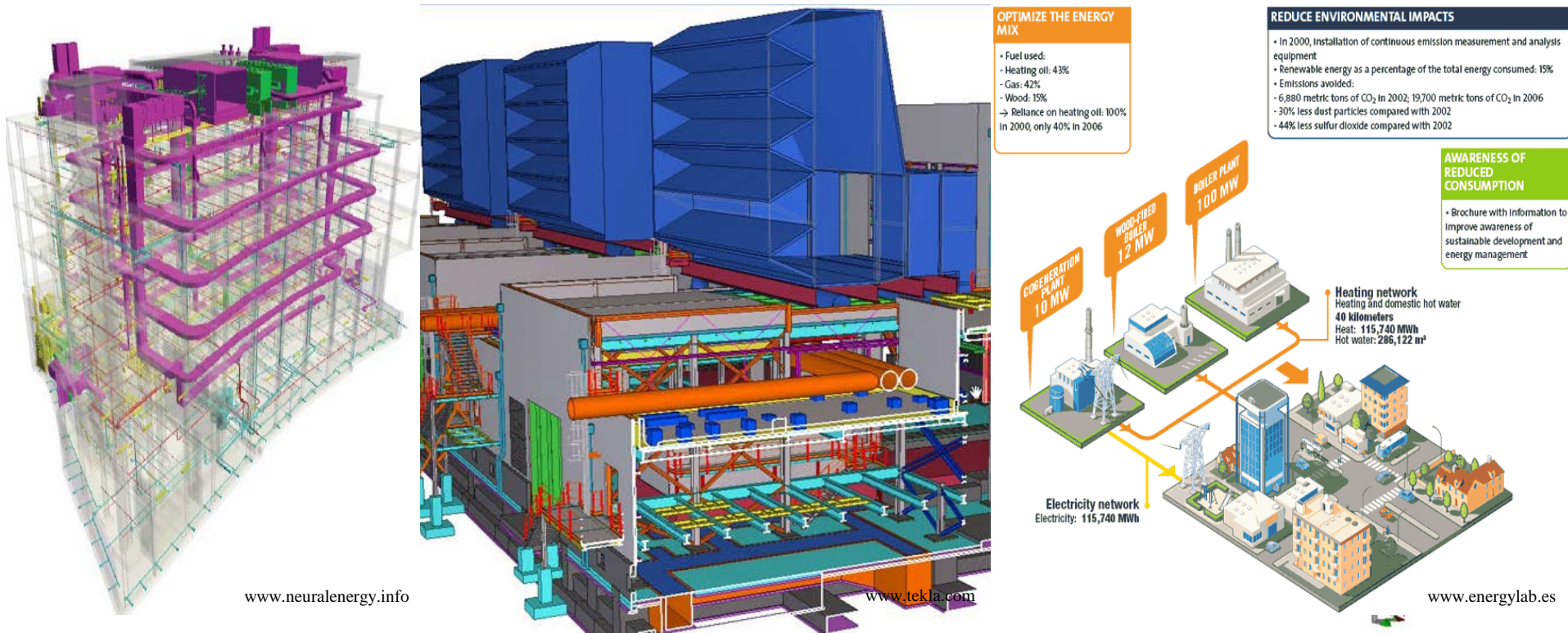
→ FEEDBACK

final decision

→ FEEDBACK



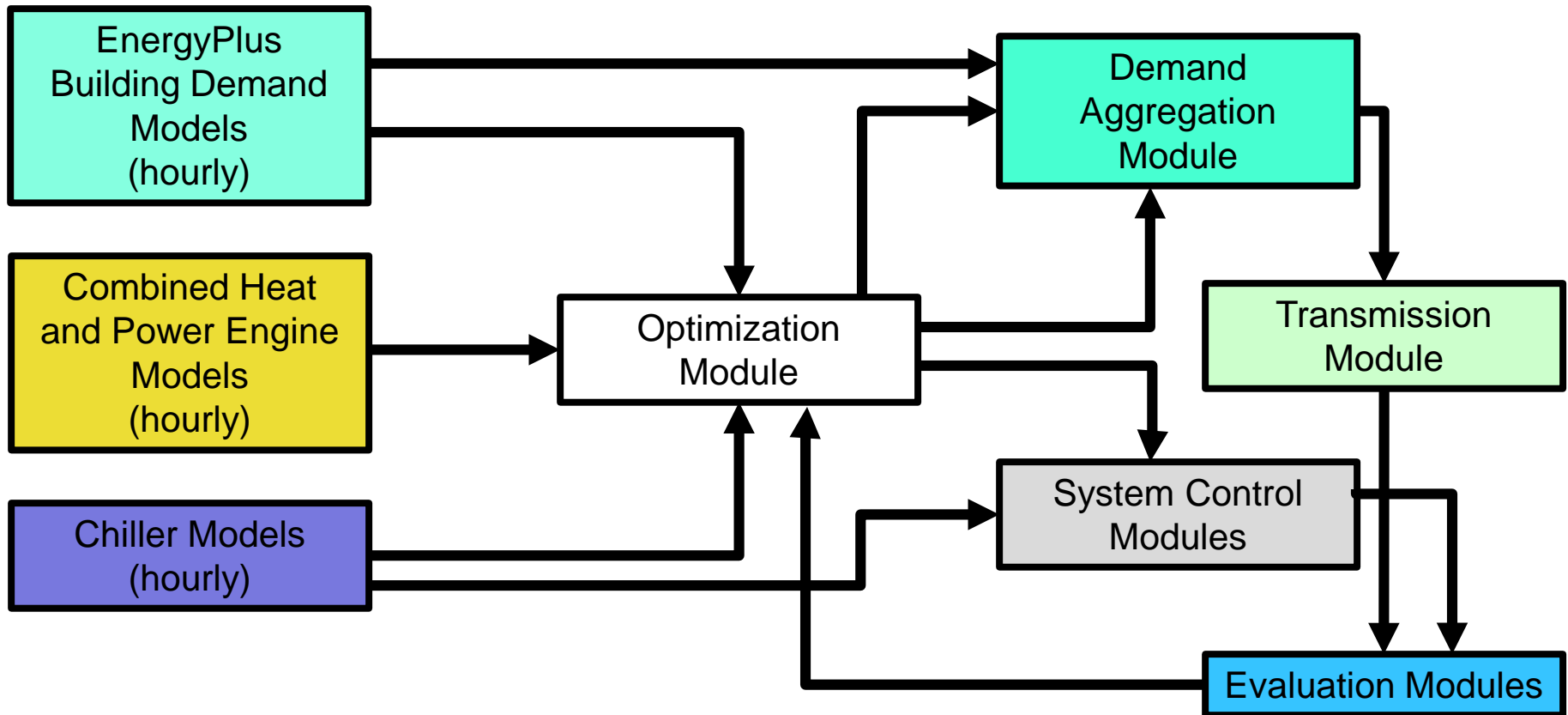
System – Energy System Modeling



Optimized Building + Optimized Power Plant ≠ Optimized System

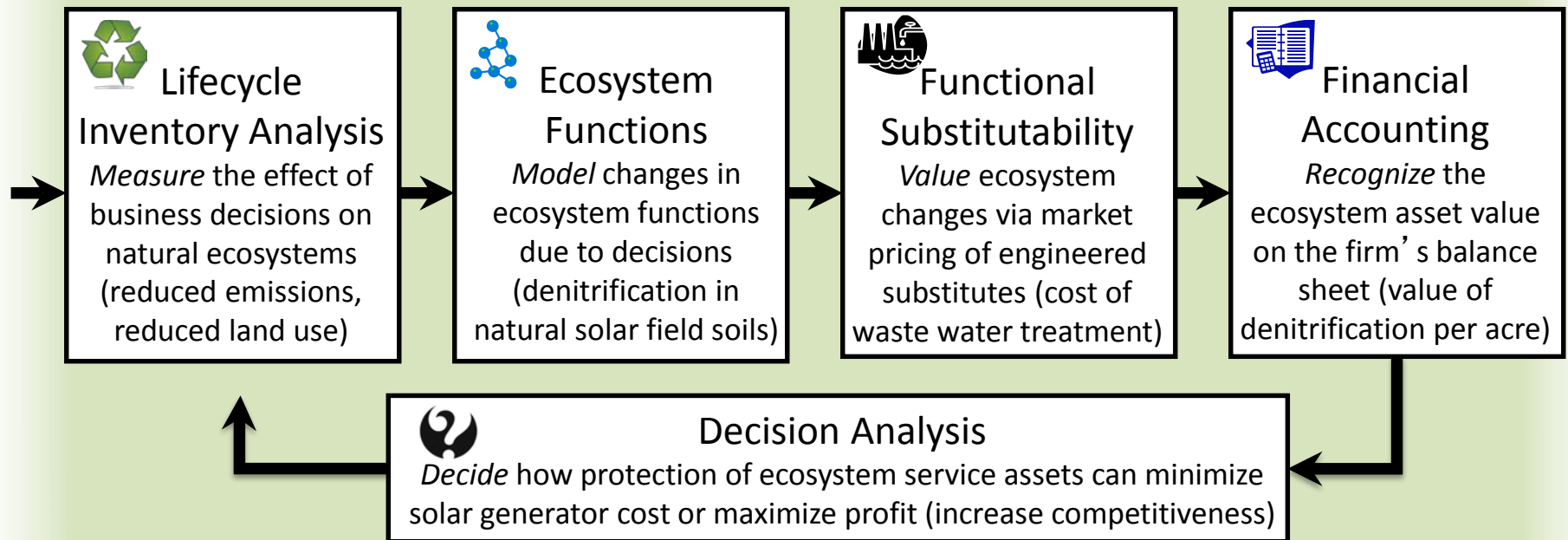
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Modeling and optimizing energy demand and energy generation simultaneously allows for improved efficiency across the overall system.



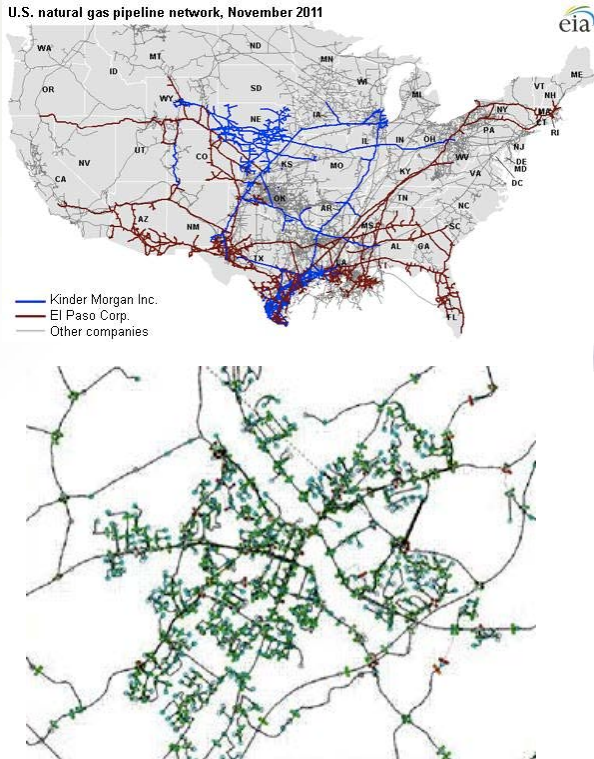
Evaluation – Ecosystem Services

Developing science-based, rigorous methods to consider the value of natural ecosystems on the financial balance sheet of private companies according to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP).



Data Analytics – Ram Rajagopal

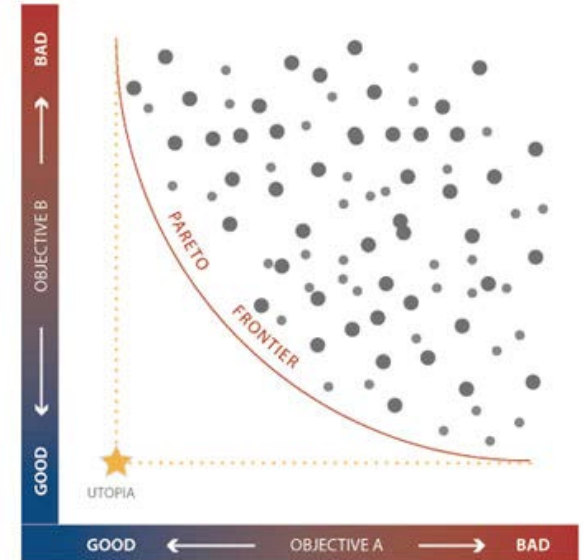
U.S. natural gas pipeline network, November 2011



Sensing Networks



Data Analytics



Optimization and Control

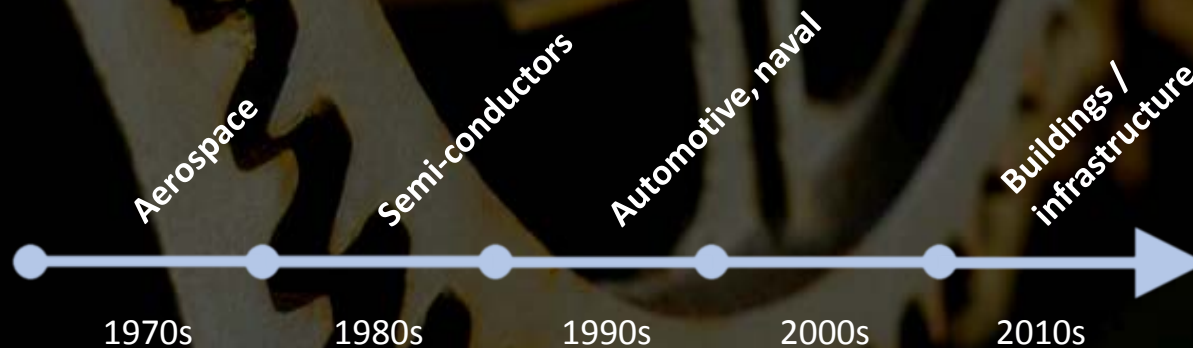
- ✿ Civil Engineering and Management Context
- ✿ Hands-on and Real World Problems

MDO

Multidisciplinary Design Optimization

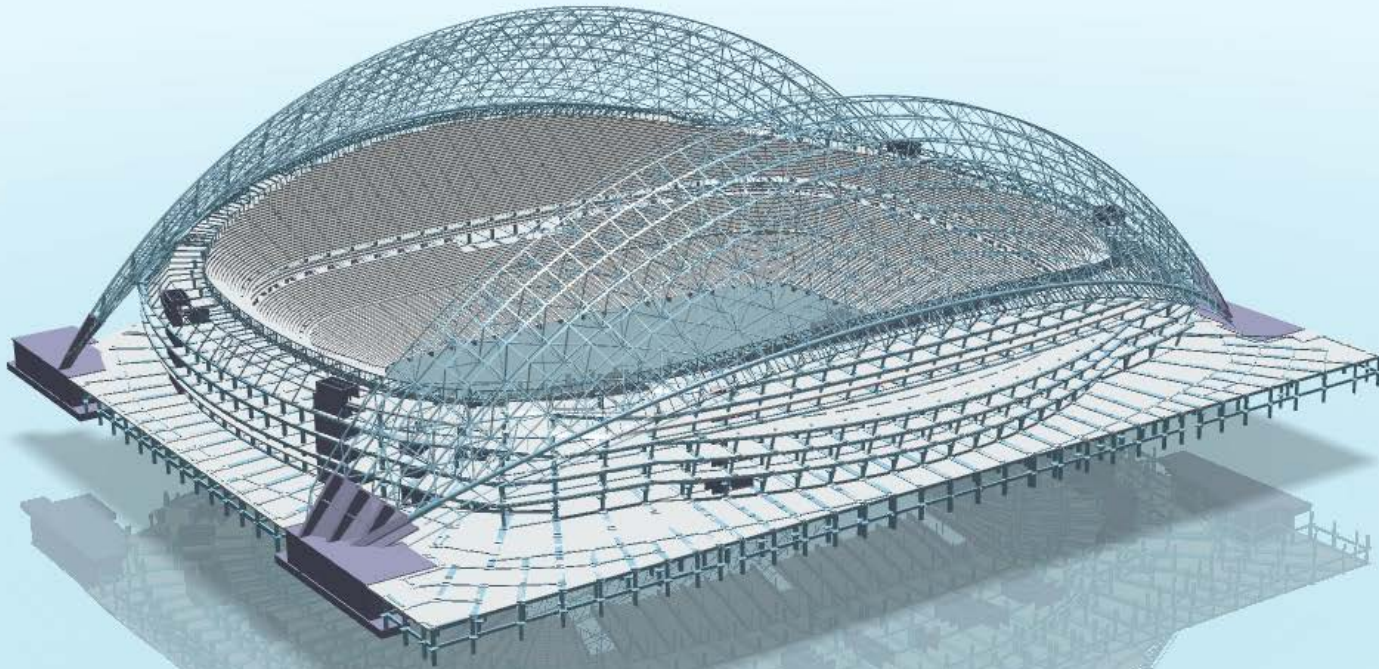
“Multidisciplinary Design Optimization involves the formalization of design iteration and coordination to leverage computer processing power to systematically search the design space”

- MDO Technical Committee, AIAA (1991)



Why?

$$(1955 \text{ MEMBERS})^{20 \text{ CANDIDATE SECTION SIZES}} = 1.47 \times 10^{2487} \text{ POSSIBLE DESIGN CONFIGURATIONS}$$



CONVENTIONAL DESIGN PRACTICE

$$39 \text{ ALTERNATIVES EVALUATED} \times 4 \text{ AVERAGE CYCLE DURATION (MAN HRS)} = 156 \text{ DESIGN TIME (MAN HRS)}$$

Why?

	CONVENTIONAL PRACTICE (ARUP)	MDO
PROCESS METRICS		
Design cycle time	4 hrs	3 sec
Alternatives evaluated	39	12,800
Set-up time	60 hrs	140 hrs
Total design time	216 hrs	151 hrs
PRODUCT METRICS		
Total Steel Weight (met t)	2,728	2,292
Est. Cost Savings (USD, Millions)	-	4 (-19%)

Why?



SCOPE

Building shell and services

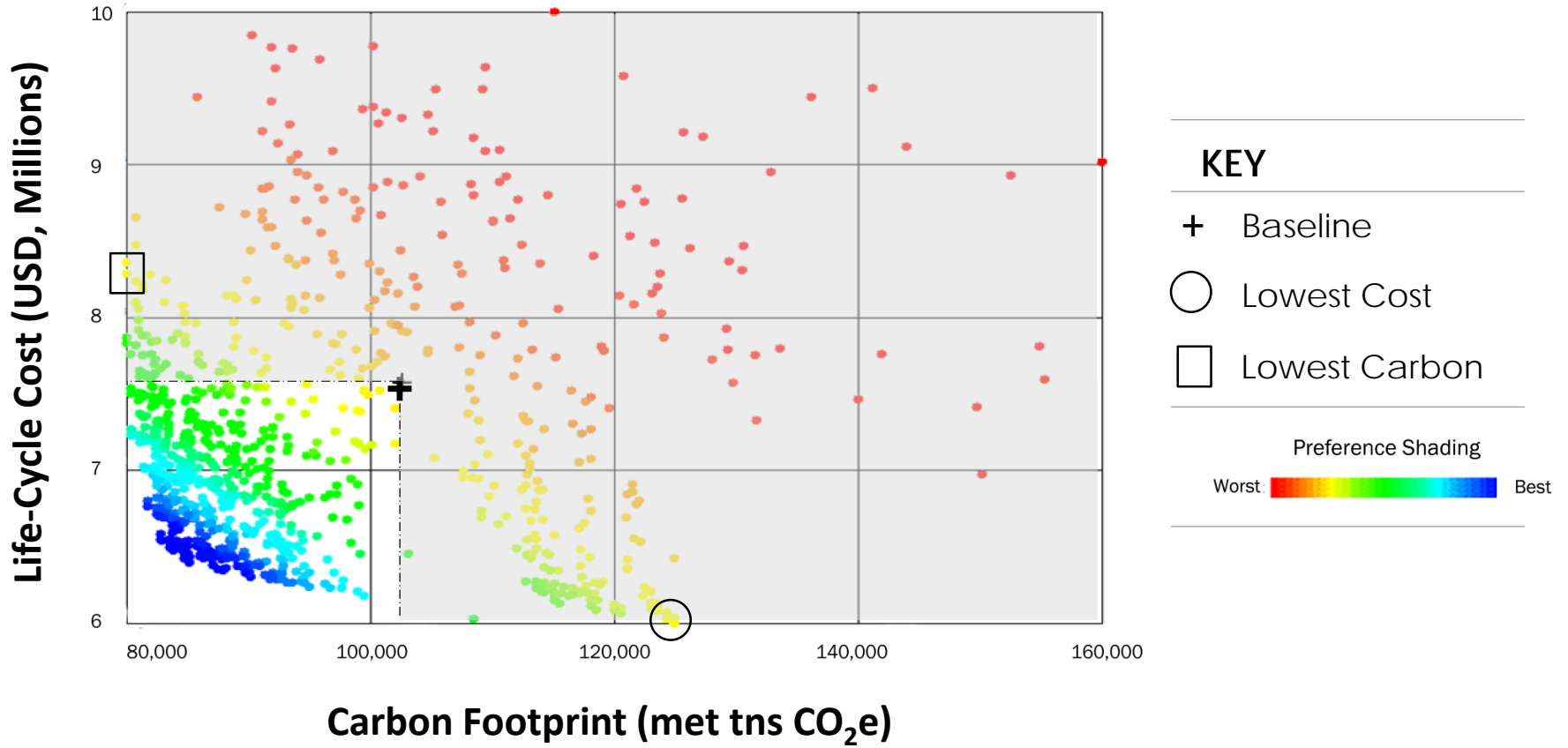
OBJECTIVES

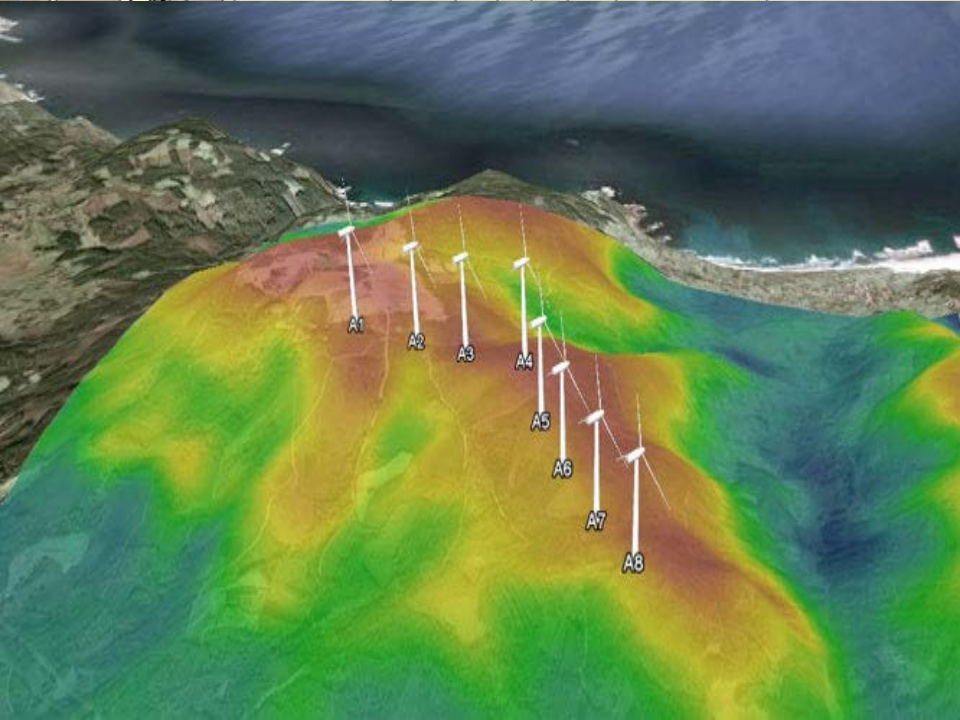
- (1) Minimize life-cycle cost
- (2) Minimize carbon footprint

VARIABLES

- (1) Building orientation: $\pm 10^\circ$
 - (2) Glazing percentage: 30-70%
 - (3) Glazing type: 26 candidate products
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Why?





Applications

CAMPUS MASTERPLANNING

Scope:

- Building position and massing

Partner:

- The Beck Group

Results:

- ↓ 12% life-cycle cost
- ↓ 8% carbon footprint

WIND ENERGY

Scope:

- Turbine layout and crane path

Partners:

- Mortenson + MAP Royalty

Results:

- ↓ 7% construction cost
- ↓ 3% cost of energy

URBAN ENERGY SYSTEMS

Scope:

- Development size and density
- Building use composition

Partner:

- WDI

Results:

- ↑ 11% primary energy efficiency

OIL AND GAS

Scope:

- Work sequencing for well completion

Partner:






- Strategic Project Solutions

Results:

To be determined

Applications

Why now?

-  Challenging project **performance** requirements
-  Demand for **data-driven** design
-  Integrated project delivery (**IPD**)
-  Advancements in **BIM** and simulation
-  Low cost and high availability of 'cloud' **computing**

Challenges / Opportunities

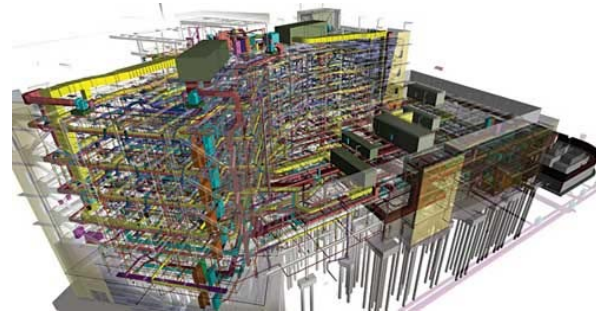


OWNERS

- Greater involvement in process
- Expect data to support decisions

ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS

- Technology as a differentiator
- Change in designer skill set



CONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS

- Early Involvement
- Product data transparency
- Premium on supply chain management

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